AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, before line 1, insert the following heading:

TITLE OF THE INVENTION:

Page 1, before the paragraph beginning on line 2, insert the following heading:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 2 with the following:

The invention pertains to a lock of the type indicated in the introductory clause of Claim 1. At least one longitudinally movable locking bar is provided, which moves in a direction determined by a longitudinal guide. The locking bar is driven by an actuator, which operates by way of a rotor. The outer end of the bar engages in a locking opening in the stationary part of the lock.

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Page 4, before the paragraph beginning on line 1, insert the following heading:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 4, line 1 with the following:

The invention is based on the task of developing a low-cost lock of the type indicated in the introductory clause of Claim 1, which operates reliably, withstands strong loads, and survives many actuating cycles without damage. This is achieved according to the invention by the features listed in Claim 1, to which the following special meaning attaches.

Page 5, before the paragraph beginning on line 3, insert the following:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 3 with the

following:

Additional measures and advantages of the invention can be derived from the subclaims, from the following description, and from the drawings. The invention is illustrated in the drawings on the basis of an exemplary embodiment:

Page 5, before the paragraph beginning on line 16, insert the following:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION:

Please delete the original Abstract of the Disclosure and, after the last page of the application add the Abstract of the Disclosure which is attached hereto on a separate sheet.